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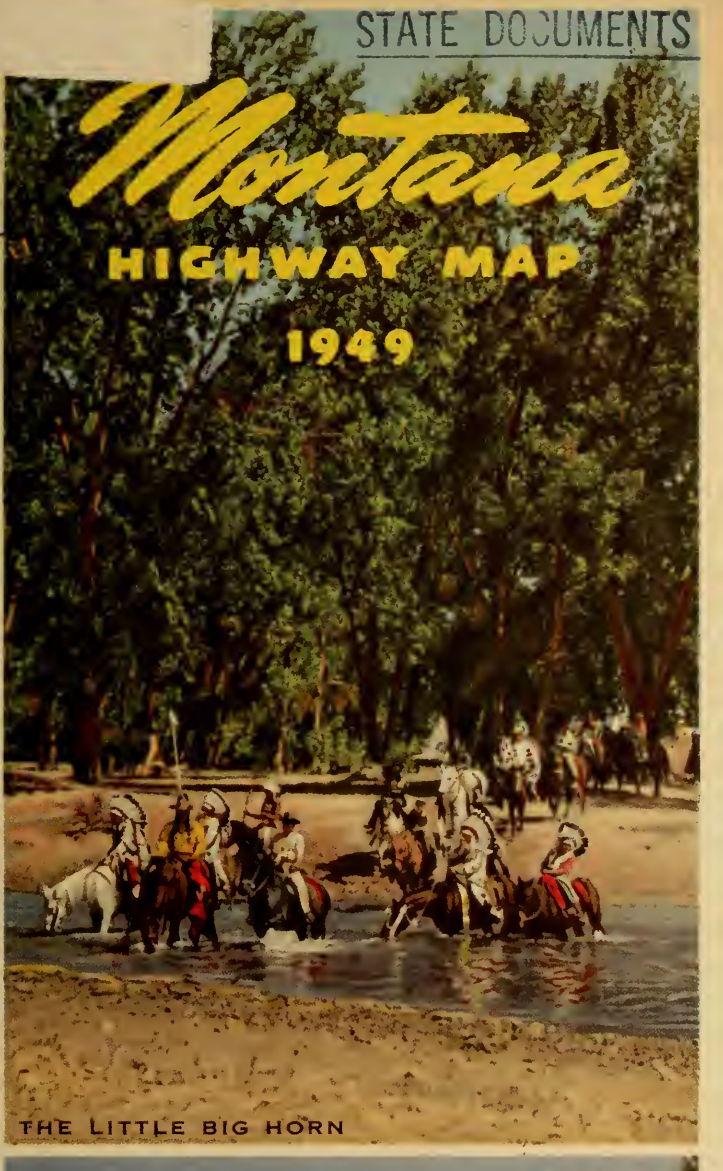
# Montana

## HIGHWAY MAP

## 1949



THE LITTLE BIG HORN

GARRYOWEN
Gar[illegible]en the old Irish tune was the regimental marching
[illegible]7th U.S.Cavalry. General Custers command
Battle of the Little Big Horn commenced in the valley
out of here June 2[illegible] 1876 after Custer had ordered
Major Reno to move his battalion into action against
[illegible]ux Sioux and Cheyennes led by Chiefs Gall Crazy
Horse Two Moons and the Medicine Man, Sitting Bull.
Reno with [illegible] men came out of the hills about 2½ miles
[illegible]west of here and rode within ¼ mile of the Indian camp
[illegible]e he was met by the hostiles who outnumbered the soldiers
[illegible]ten to one. Dismounting his men, Reno formed a skirmish
[illegible]e west across the valley from the timber along the river
[illegible]e [illegible]as he was forced to retreat to high ground
[illegible]Big Horn where he was joined by Major Benteen's
[illegible]combined force. Fighting off the Indians until the
[illegible]of Indians coming from the north on the following
[illegible]the natives to pull out. Reno and Benteen were
aware of Custers fate until the morning of the 27th.

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MAP OF THE
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STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM
John W Bonner, Governor
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Paved Roads
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U.S. Numbered Highways
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Sheridan
Dillon
Deer Lodge
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Eureka
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Wolf Point
Fairview
Sidney
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Westby
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Fort Benton
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Melstone
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Custer
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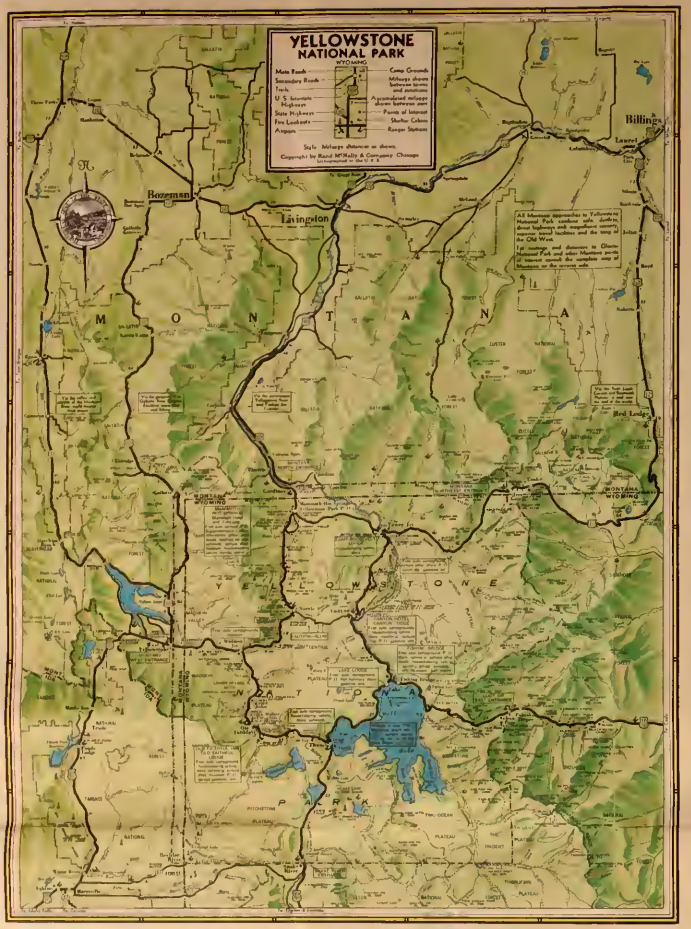


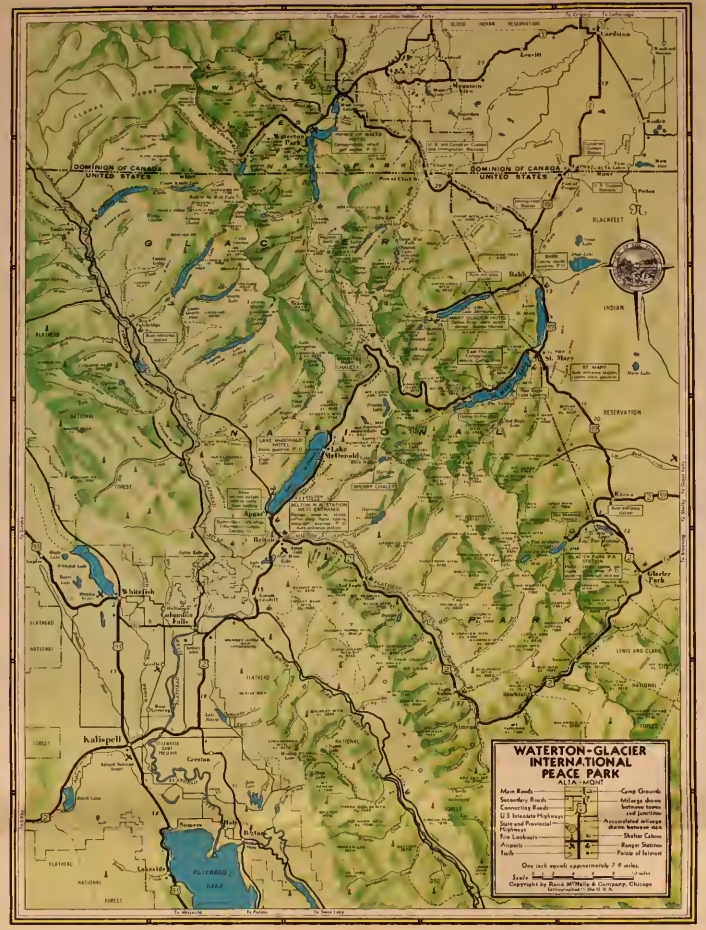


## TRAFFIC REGULATIONS AND SAFETY RULES

1. Montano speed limits: reosonoble and prudent to existing conditions in the doy time; 55 miles per hour during the hours when lights are required; except where zoned and posted for lower speeds.

   For all trucks and or tractors and trailers weighing two (2) tons or more, 45 miles per hour.

2. Vehicles entering moin highways from side rood or drive must come to complete stop before entering highway and yield right-of-woy to vehicles troveling moin highwoy.

3. Vehicles must drive to right of center line at oll times except when possing onother car. Never poss where the center line is unbroken.

4. Proper signol must be given when possing another vehicle, chonging direction, stopping or slowing down on the highway. Blow horn to worn the car oheod you ore going to poss—Left turn, left hand ond orm extended horizontolly; Right turn, left hond ond orm extended upword; Stop or Slow Down, left orm extended downword.

5. Observe ond obey oll woming signs, such os Slow, Donger, Curve, etc. They ore placed there at consideroble expense for your protection.

6. Never drive at o speed greoter thon thot ot which you can stop in the cleor road visible oheod. Slow down at night or when the rood is wet or icy.

7. When meeting at night or passing from the rear, dim your lights. Don't be afroid to dim first (courtesy promotes sofety).

8. Slow down when opprooching ony child, pedestrion, bicycle, livestock, porked cor, or other obstruction on the highway. Be prepored for the unexpected.

9. Never poss on hills or curves. Be sure you con see far enough oheod to make o sofe possing before you try to do so.

10. Don't stop or pork on the moin traveled portion of the highwoy, especially on hills or curves. Pull out on the shoulder. It's sofer for you ond other cars.

11. Report all accidents resulting in deoth, personol injury or property domoge of more than $25.00 to the Highwoy Potrol.

12. Be careful. An olert, coreful driver is the best insurance ogoinst oll occidents.

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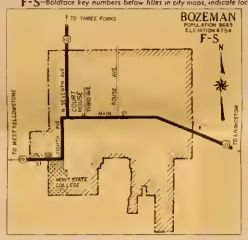
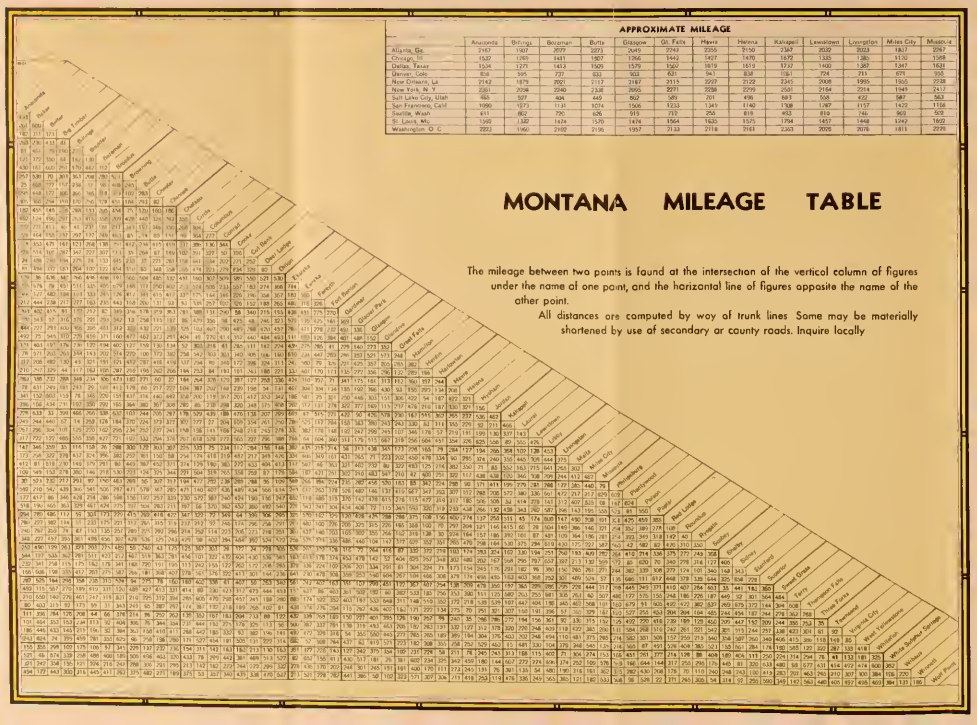


## APPROXIMATE MILEAGE

| | Anaconda | Billings | Bozeman | Butte | Gladstone | Gt. Falls | Havre | Helena | Kalispell | Lewistown | Livingston | Miles City | Missoula |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Atlanta, Ga. | 2102 | 1627 | 2079 | 2073 | 2693 | 2243 | 2355 | 2150 | 2367 | 2022 | 2052 | 1857 | 2267 |
| Chicago, Ill. | 1522 | 1093 | 1411 | 1507 | 1966 | 1442 | 1427 | 1470 | 1672 | 1325 | 1385 | 1130 | 1568 |
| Dallas, Texas | 1534 | 1275 | 1613 | 1526 | 1579 | 1502 | 1819 | 1614 | 1732 | 1400 | 1587 | 1347 | 1631 |
| Denver, Colo. | 858 | 595 | 727 | 833 | 903 | 631 | 941 | 838 | 1181 | 724 | 711 | 671 | 955 |
| New Orleans, La | 2162 | 1879 | 2021 | 2117 | 2187 | 2115 | 2227 | 2122 | 2245 | 2408 | 1995 | 1905 | 2228 |
| New York, N. Y. | 2261 | 2098 | 2340 | 2338 | 2895 | 2271 | 2258 | 2295 | 2581 | 2164 | 2214 | 1949 | 2412 |
| Salt Lake City, Utah | 465 | 527 | 404 | 449 | 862 | 589 | 701 | 496 | 861 | 568 | 452 | 587 | 863 |
| San Francisco | 1090 | 1073 | 1131 | 1074 | 1506 | 1233 | 1343 | 1140 | 1308 | 1267 | 1157 | 1472 | 1158 |
| Seattle, Wash. | 611 | 862 | 720 | 626 | 919 | 712 | 250 | 819 | 493 | 819 | 746 | 963 | 502 |
| St. Louis, Mo. | 1592 | 1124 | 1676 | 1570 | 1676 | 1564 | 1450 | 1575 | 1794 | 1457 | 1468 | 1242 | 1802 |
| Washington D. C. | 2222 | 1960 | 2102 | 2196 | 1957 | 2133 | 2118 | 2161 | 2363 | 2026 | 2076 | 1813 | 2229 |



## MONTANA MILEAGE TABLE

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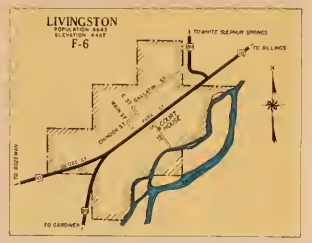
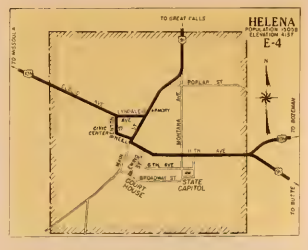
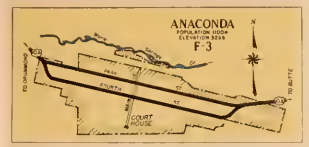
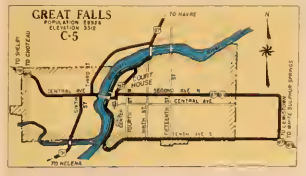
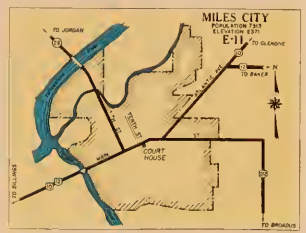
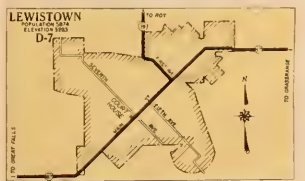


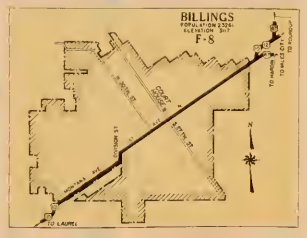



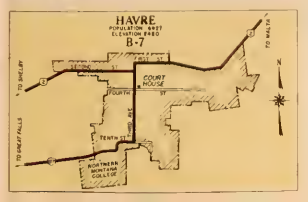







# MONTANA

## *It Beckons*

## *Satisfy That Urge*

Montana is famed for its rough-hewn, upended mountain grandeur; its weird Badlands; its vast vistas of rolling prairies. There are ghost towns galore that had their hey-day almost a century ago. Wild game are often seen from the highways. 32,000 miles of cool, clear water invite the fisherman to cast his line.

Located between Glorious Glacier and awesome Yellowstone Parks, Montana is the Nation's playground where you will find exactly the kind of relaxation for which you are searching.

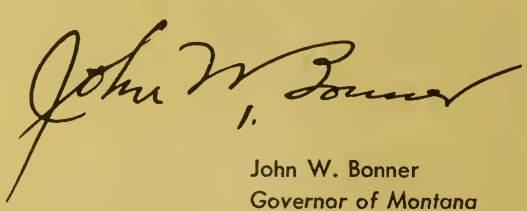
More than 5,000 miles of paved highways criss-cross the State: leading you through deep canyons; over the Continental Divide; across fertile prairies; through Badlands. But there are other roads too. These are not high-speed boulevards but they will take you, safely, into the seldom visited wilderness back-country.

Montana accommodations, you will find, are the kind you like to patronize. And the rates are exceptionally reasonable.

It is the Land of Shining Mountains . . . but, also, it is the Land of Shining Opportunity. Montana's accelerating, expanding economy offers you the chance to prosper from your initiative, your skill, your ability. I invite you to become a part of the Treasure State.

As Governor, it is my privilege to welcome you to the Treasure State. I wish you many miles of happy motoring with your days filled with excitement and fun. Montana's cool nights will let you sleep and in the morning, you will be relaxed, invigorated and ready for your next Montana day.

*Cordially yours,*



John W. Bonner
*Governor of Montana*